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DEPARTMENT OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, PUNJAB

### NOTIFICATION

The 7th March, 2023

**No. 07/01/2022/D-2/698.**—In exercise of the powers U/s 6 of Chapter III of "The Prevention and Control of Infectious and Contagious Diseases in Animals Act, 2009" with the object of preventing, controlling, eradicating scheduled disease - African Swine Fever (ASF), the whole state of Punjab was declared as "Controlled Area" vide this office Notification No. 07/01/2022/D-2/ 2204 dated 19.08.2022.

ICAR-National Institute of High Security Animal Diseases, Bhopal vide its F.No.15-57/2012-NIHSAD dated: 06-03-2023 has confirmed African Swine Fever in swine samples of district Gurdaspur. Therefore, in exercise of the powers U/s 20 of Chapter III of" the above mentioned Act, 2009" - **Declaration of Infected Areas**, the following area is hereby notified as "Epicenter" of the disease-

**"Village-Rattar Chattar, Tehsil - Dera Baba Nanak, District-Gurdaspur"**

In compliance to Chapters 7 & 8 of "**National Action Plan for Control, Containment and Eradication of African Swine Fever (June 2020)**" of Ministry of Fisheries, Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying, Government of India; the following areas are hereby declared as: -

- a) **0-1 Km area around epicenter of disease declared as "Infected Zone,"**
- b) **1-10 Km area around epicenter of disease declared as "Surveillance Zone."**

No Live/Dead pig (including feral or wild pigs), unprocessed pig meat, feed or any material /goods from the piggery farm / backyard piggery shall be taken out of or brought into the infected zone & no person shall bring or attempt to bring into market any pig or pig products which is known to be infected with a scheduled disease. Inter State movement of any pig or its belongings shall be strictly banned.

The notification shall come into force with immediate effect.

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The 7th March, 2023